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'BE CAREFUL, MY BOY, AND THEN CAREFUL SOME MORE'

Excellent Advice to Duck Hunters Given by Claud Fox---A Story of a Hunting Tragedy

By CLAUDE FOX

Story No. 34

In again taking up my pen to re- w wthese articles for Mr. O'Keefe nd the Times-Gazette I cannot at is time refrain from sounding a ote of warning to the devotees of e scattergun, especially the youn- er generation of trigger pullers, nd also some of their older breth- n who frequent the bay and the arshes in the exhilarating pastime f one of the grandest sports known o man. While I have had little op- ortunity this winter to pursue the ary webfoots I manage to keep retty well in touch with the duck unting fraternity, more particularly he boys of today, and it affords me e keenst pleasure to see a lad me tramping home with a fine bun- le of the feathered beauties and ear that boy tell, as his face lights p with enthusiasm, of just how this e fell and that one kept on diving ith a crippled wing before being ot over and securely laid under e bow of the little duck boat, for brings vividly back to my mind imilar scenes and memories by me er to be cherished and held dear.

Yet amidst these pleasant sporting cenes and memories there is to me tinge of sadness connected with it nd heartfelt regrets that human ves should be sacrificed every few ays in the pursuit of such keen leasure and enjoyment as wild duck hooting. With the season but half ver, eight fatalities, within my nowledge, have been recorded in his state, all due, as Dad said to me any years ago, to pure careless- ess, nothing more nor less. Three ave killed their comrades and five ore have snffed out their own lives hrough the accidental discharge of a hotgun that could and should have een avoided. When will this car- age cease?

Would that I could recommend me remedy that would be effect- e, something which would not only ave the lives of men and boys but lso prevent the sorrow and misery hich are entailed upon relatives nd friends who are left to mourn he loss which can never be replaced. t may not be right to criticize the nfortunate hunter who, by his own houghtlessness, has hastened the pirit of a companion on its journey nto eternity, or to utter a word de- ogatory to one who is responsiblee or his own death, but I know of no etter way to forcibly impress upon he minds of the duck hunting boys f today the need of extreme care in he handling of firearms. Shotguns were never intended to kil lhumanity; they were made for the purpose f small game hunting and nothing more, and something must be done to revent this needless loss of life ach year.

When my father handed me my irst shotgun way back in 1879 he ook occasion to impress upon my ind the danger of being careless in he handling of my birthday present. He wished me to derive all the pleasure possible from my new possession, for he had been a boy himself, but he explained to me the cruel, deadly work of such a firearm at close range and closed his admonition by saying:

"Be careful, my boy, and then careful some more."

Those words I have never forgotten and I repeat them to you, duck hunting boys of today, in the hope that you may take them home to your hearts and profit thereby. Preclude, if you can, by being careful in the handling of your shotgun, a mother's heartbreaking sorrow or a father's silent, pathetic grief.

During my ten years of experience as a deputy under the late James Crowe, coroner of this county, we were often called upon to witness scenes that would try men's souls. I have brought in from the marshes adjacent to this city bodies of unfortunate hunters, some of whom had accidentally shot themselves, others shot by companions and still others drowned; have gathered the scattered remians of humanity along the right of way of the railroad company, in some cases where identification was impossible; have taken bodies of men and women from homes made shambles through the jealous rage of one or the other; have seen children crying out their grief in rooms bespattered with the lifeblood of the father and mother who were responsible for their being, but never yet has my heart gone out in absolute pity as it did some years ago when, in company with Dr. J. L. Ross of this city, I was called upon to carry to a grief sticken family the body of a little brown haired boy in his 'teens who had just passed away from a gunshot wound, self-nifflicted, down where the boys now have their swimming hole at the bend of the creek on the property of the Tacoma Mill Company.

It was Gussie Groner, idolized son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Groner, old and respected residents of this city, beloved by all who knew them for their kindly, charitable acts and hospitable dispositions, and as we hurried along after having met Dr. Ross at the Germania Hall corner, I earnestly hope dthat the information the doctor had received was erroneous, or if true, that the wound was trivial in its nature and that the father and mother would be spared the sorrow and grief which only parents can suffer under such circumstances. That hope was soon dispelled. Passing through the property of the Tacoma Mill Company we came out on the marsh ground at the east end of the large hay warehouse which still stands there.

As we passed out through an opening in the tight board fence and stood on the levee a sight met my eyes that years cannot efface from my mind. Would that memory could blot it out. From what we afterward learned the little Groner boy had been down the creek shooting during the morning in company with one of the boys of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lovie, about of equal age. They were returning home in a small row boat and had reached the bend in the creek while the tide was quite low and just starting to come in, with the result that they were compelled to wait for the tide to rise. The 12-gauge shotgun had been placed under the seat of the boat, loaded. While the two boys sat there a plover came flying up the creek and settled on the mud flat just within range. Gussie Groner forgot for a moment the risk he was taking, and in that brief space of time which has been fatal to so many, grabbed the gun by the muzzle and pulled it toward himself. The hammer caught under the seat; there was a muffled report and the little fellow sank to the botto mof the boat mortally wounded. His companion jumped from the boat, ran across the intervening marshland to the home of the boy's parents and notified them of the accident. Mr. Groner, enfeebled by age and none too well by reason of illness, rushed to the assistance of his boy. Arriving at the boat he found his son still alive, and getting into the boat with the dying boy he took a long sweep or scull oar and pushed the boat up the creek with the incoming tide until he reached the point where Dr:. Ross and myself met them.

The sight of that old gentleman, bareheaded, partially exhausted by his efforts, with tears streaming down his face, pushing that boat along, with the fast dying boy at his feet, while he begged the doctor to save his child, is the stern reality which confronted us that day. Human hearts are not made to witness such a scene with controlled emotions. Quickly the bow line of the little craft was thrown to us and we were enabled to pull the boat with its human freight up to the edge of the hard mashland. Tenderly we raised the little form and placed it upon the levee. Dr. Ross hastily opened the shirt front to ascertain the nature of the wound. There was just the flicker of an eyelid, an almost inaudibl gasp, a relaxation of the muscles of the body. The medical gentleman shook his head and as we stood there the realization was forcibly impressed upon us of the brief space existing between this life and eternity. The spirit of Gussie Groner had sped heavenward to meet the God who gave it.

Upon an improvised litter which was hastil ymade we carried all that was mortal of the little fellow to the home but a few blocks away, which he had left so happily but a few hours before. Upon the scene that followed at that house of mourning I will not touch. Would that I could forget it all, but I have written this story in the hope that the boys of today will take a lesson therefrom and keep from their parents such a scene as Dr. Ross and myself that day witnessed.

We will draw the curtain on what you have just read, but in doing so I must admonish the readers of this article to never, under any circumstances, place a shotgun under the seat of a boat, loaded or unloaded; never crawl through a fence and pull your shotgun after you; in hunting always keep the muzzle of the gun pointed away from you and away from your companions; never carry a shotgun loaded in a motor car or a horse drawn vehicle; unload your gun before you enter your home, and never carry a shotgun by the muzzle at any time. When you shall have done this, then,

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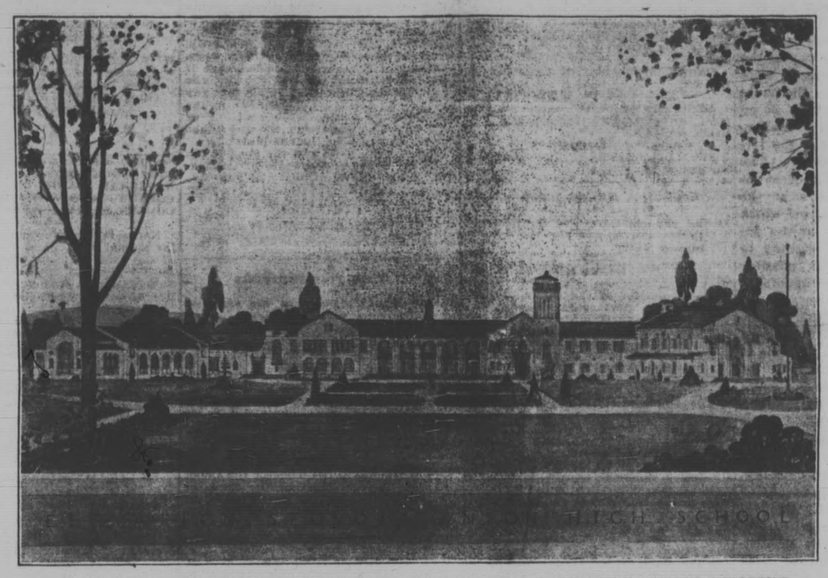

ARCHITECTS' PRELIMINARY SKETCH OF NEW SEQUOIA UNION HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

The above is a view of the front elevation of the new high school building prepared by Werner & Coffey, the architects. The auditorium is shown on the right of the sketch. It will have a capacity of 1200. The lower floor in the center is to be occupied by the administration offices, library and study halls. The second floor in front will be fitted to accomomdate the commercial department. In the structure to the left will be located the gymnasium.

The front portion of the building is to be two stories in height. One-story wings will extend back on both sides. These will contain the academic and science units.

The style of architecture suggested is the Spanish renaissance. This type of structure fits well with the beautiful surrounding landscape. A rambling buildings sets well in the site.

The Japanese tea garden, which is located on a natural rock outcrop, will have an attractive position in an interior court. The trustees, A. C. Argo, principal of the school, and Roy W. Cloud will work with the architects in arriving at a good plan for the interior of the structure.

The trustees have decided to locate the building on the site of the old Moses Hopkins home that was destroyed by the earthquake in 1906. Some years before the fire and earthquake the old home was occupied by W. J Dingee. Not on the whole forty-acre tract is there a more suitable spot for the location of the proposed building. This tract was formerly the property of Horace Hawes, the noted lawyer and philanthropist of the seventies, who did much for this locality in the early days. In the eighties the property came under control of Moses Hopkins, the famous railroad builder, who maintained a palatial residence here until the time of his death.

ARGO TO VISIT HIGH SCHOOLS OF STATE

A. C. Argo, principal of Sequoia Union High School, will be a very busy man for the next two weeks. He will visit all the modern high school buildings of the state to ascertain the very latest ideas in high school construction and convenience and will incorporate these in the plans of the proposed new high school building for this district The trustees are anxious to give the district one of the finest, most complete and mots modern structures in the state and will spare no expense and energy in doing so.

PYTHIANS HAVE LOST A NOTED MEMBER

Herman Schaffner, grand keeper of records and seals and past grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, passed away at his home in San Francisco on Thursday at the age of 71 years. Mr. Schaffner had been keeper of the records and seals of the grand lodge of Knights of Pythias of the domain for 35 years. The deceased was well known in Redwood City, having often visited the lodge that was in existence here some years ago. M. J. Knox, a past grand chancellor, received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of the aged Pythian and urging him to attend the funeral this afternoon at 2 "clock. Mr. Knox was grand chancellor from 1911 to 1913. He presided at the session of the grand lodge held in San Diego in 1913. Mr. Knox will attend the funeral this afternoon.

DEATH OF ALFRED KUNZE

Alfred Kunze, for the past two and a half years superintendent of the Pacific Silicate Company of this city. died suddenly at his home in San Carlos early yesterday morning of acute indigestion. The deceased was born in Dakota in 1872. His wife is the primary teacher in the San Carlos grammar school. Mr. Kunze was a prominent member of the local ohamber of commerce. He is survived by his widow and two sons, twins. The boys entered the high school here at the beginning of the present term. They are but 13 years old and are the youngest students attending the high school. They are bright chaps. Mr. Kunze was well thought of by the people of Redwood City and was held in high esteem by his employers. His sudden death is a severe shock to his numerous friends in Redwood City. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

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SEQUOIA GIRL STUDENTS WILL HAVE A PARTY

By Mura Stilleson, '22

On next Thursday afternoon and evening, from 4 to 8, the Sequoia girl students will hold their semi-annual get together affair. All the girl students at Sequoia will attend and enjoy a few hours of dance and frolic. Each class is at work on a good stunt to be put on for the entertainment of the girls. As there are only girls in the club the juniors and seniors will come dressed as young gentlemen and boys and will escort their "fair" friends from the freshman and sophomore classes.

Doris Vannier, president of the club, and Miss Boyle have been in secret consultation for several weeks and are prepared to spring a few pleasant surprises.

Girls' Basketball

Last week the Sequoia girls' basketball team met defeat at the hands of the South City team. Despite the result of the game, the girls played a spirited game and threw more field goals than in any game played before. The improved playing of the team is due to the coaching of Mr. Argo, who worked with the girls for several weeks. After the game the members of the South City team entertained the girls from Sequoia, San Jose and San Mateo high schools at a "feed."

Speeches were given by the coaches and captains of the respective teams. Each school gave its yell and then they all joined in cheering each of the schools and its team. At the suggestion of Miss Searight of San Mateo the party broke up early and "we all went home."

This was the last game of the league schedule, but Sequoia's team expects to schedule a game with Palo Alto soon after the holidays. Until then the girls will take a much needed rest fro mthat game.

MISS NORMA JACOBUS TO BE MARRIED IN SPRING

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Norma Jacobus, the pretty and charming daughter of Mrs. Charles Jacobus of this city, to Morris Roberts of Fresno was made yesterday. The wedding will be an event of early spring. Miss Jacobus was born and raised in Redwood City and grew to womanhood here. She is an unusually winsome and pretty young woman who enjoys a large circle of friends on the peninsula. For the past year she has resided in the Raisin City, where she met Mr. Roberts. He is a traveling salesman, held in high esteem by his employer and a most exemplary young man. Cards announcing the engagement were received here yesterday by the numerous friends of the prospective bride.

FOR DISABLED VETERANS

The disabled veterans of the world war are launching a drive on December 17 to be known as "Forget Me Not Day." The drive is for funds for the soldier who was injurel in the great war. On that lay a bevy of young ladies will be in Redwood City to tag every man and woman on the streets. This is a good cause and all should be generous. These brave men went forth to battle for freedom's sake, receiving injuries which will disable many of them for life. It is the duty of a grateful people to see to it that they want for nothing. This is a national drive. The funds thus secured will go into the funds of the various legion posts for the benefit of the disabled soldiers.

COST TWENTY BERRIES TO GRAB RED BERRIES

J. Selani of San Francisco on Friday last was sentenced by Judge Ray Griffin to pay a fine of $20 for gathering red berries on the highway at La Honda. He had an auto load of them and was on his way to the city to sell them when he was apprehended by Traffic Officer Kreiss. Selani was granted a stay of execution by the court, but on Monday paid the fine. The berries were given to the high school students to decorate their hall. Such fines as this one will no doubt have a tendency to stop vandals destroying the toyon which at this time of the year adds beauty to the landscape and brings visitors to the county to feast their eyes on hese beautiful berries.

BOYS' CLUB BAND PLEASES REDWOOD

The California Boys' Club road show of San Francisco played to a large audience at the California Theater on Main street Wednesday evening of this week. F. L. Hammer, the manager, can be congratulated on giving the local public an opportunity of seeing these boys, who were so warmly received throughout the entire state. The whole program was conducted by the boys of the club and consisted of several musical numbers by their band of 25 pieces, tumbling, pyramid building, singing and a comedy act.

The California Boys' Club has been organized only four months and a great deal of credtt is due the members for the excellent showing they have been able to make in so short a time. It is hoped that the management of the local show house will engage the club for another appearance some time in the near future.

WHEATLAND ESTATE

Mary Wheatland has applied in the superior court for letters of administration upon the estate of her huhband, S. M. Wheatland, who died at Daly City on October 28, 1921. The estate consists of a parcel of property at Daly City valued at about $1100 and personal property worth $100.

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BEGINNING OF BRIGHT WHITE WAY TO BE MADE IN REDWOOD CITY

Electroliers Ordered by City Trustees. Solitary Paving Bid Rejected. Trustees' Doings

The board of town trustees held an important meeting last Monday evening. Much business was transacted. This being the time set for opening bids for oil macadamizing of Arch street, Brewster avenue and Duane street in Redwood Highlands. the solitary bid received was opened and read. It was made by W. W. Thompson. He offered to do the work for $5,050. This was $600 more than the estimate made by C. L. Dimmitt, city engineer, so the bid was rejected. It is the desire of the board that no more bids will be requested until after the close of the rainy season. The improvements as planned include Brewster avenue from the state highway to Broadway, Arch street from Brewster avenue to Whipple avenue and Duane street from Hopkins avenue to Whipple avenue.

The trustees granted a permit to the Standard Oil Company to establish and maintain a service station on the Joseph Larkin property at Claremont avenue, Wellesley Park. The concern was also given permission to remove the trees in front of the property on the highway.

No protests were presented against installing electroliens on Broadway and Main street and on Webster street between Main and Washington to street, as called for in a recent resolution of intention. Bids for the improvements will be opened at the meeting to be held January 3.

The request of the chamber of commerce for permission to use the auditorium on January 10 was referred to the fire department.

An appropriation of $50 was made for the Boy Scouts to assist them in their activities during the year.

A donation of $5 was voted to assist in the community Christmas tree festivities planned by the Redwood City Woman's Club.

A. Dal Poggetta was refused a permit to conduct a 12 o'clock dance at his place Saturday nights. He was recently arrested for selling intoxicating liquor.

The trustees agreed to erect a fence along the property line of the Offerman holding on Webster street. A former board agreed to do this work when the city bought the strip of land belonging to Mr. Offerman. The street superintendent will do the work.

Joseph Roza, night watchman, was granted an indefinite leave of absence because of illness.

According to the report of Frank K. Towne, city treasurer, presented at the meeting, there is a balance in the general fund of $8,947.45; the water fund balance is $19,810.90. Collections during November were $26,801.

After learning from Ed Dearborn, water superintendent, the quantity of pipe and fittings needed for making proposed extensions in the distributing system the board ordered that bids should be called for, to be considered at the meeting to be held December 19.

The board passed the ordinance making the sale of intoxicating liquors "for beverage purposes" illegal in Redwood City.

SHIPPING COMPANY TO RUN BOATS TO S. F.

The Redwood City Steamship Company announces that it is prepared to inaugurate a service between San Francisco and Redwood City at the opening of next year. The steamer Point Reyes, ten knots speed, is to leave San Francisco twice or three times a week according to the inducements offered by local business men to patronize the venture.

The owners of the Point Reyes, according to R. H. K. Smith, secretary-manager of the chamber of commerce, are old and experienced operators in the shipping circles. The plan is to have goods received at a San Francisco dock for delivery to merchants here. The vessel has an abundance of deck space for lumber and other bulky freight which can be loaded directly from coastal vessels as they arrive in the bay and then carried to merchants here at a very small cost. On some commodities it is estimated that the freight rate will be as low as 7 cents per 100 pounds and in no case will the rate exceed 30 cents.

D. R. Stafford, the Broadway merchant, and other big shippers have agreed to give the enterprise their heartiest co-operation and will bring their freight from San Francisco on the vessel. If the merchants support this new enterprise it will be a success from the start.

The owners have asked the chamber of commerce to get an expression of opinion from the merchants of the district as to their willingness to patronize a steamship company, which will not only advertise Redwood City but also be of material benefit to the merchants themselves in supplying cheap freight rates.

To secure this information the chamber of commerce is preparing a questionaire which will be mailed to all business men in Palo Alto, Menlo Park, Atherton, San Carlos, Belmont and Redwood City. On return of the questionaire duly completed the owners o fthe steamship line will know whether their service is wanted or not. No financial support of any kind is required from the merchants, simply an expression of willingness to patronize the venture. Failing any display of interest the steamer will remain in its present service.

The memebrship of the chamber of commerce is increasing rapidly and the active interest being displayed by the members is very gratifying. There is a committee meeting of some kind almost every night of the week. The numerous delinquent members that were on the books up to the time that R. H. K. Smith assumed charge have either been shamed into paying up or have been dropped. Among the new members since last report are F. D. Granger, John A. Britton, Pratt-Low Preserving Company, W. Goodwin, Paul Ortmeier, Davies Auto Repair Co., F. Dawson, R. Schmidt Jr., Pulgas Mosquito Abatement District, J. F. Johnston, Clifton Woodhams and others.

There will be a big boosters' ball held January 21, which will be the bigegst affair o fits kind ever held in Redwood City. Chairman W. T. Kellogg of the entertainment committee will announce ful plans in a day or two.

You are not much of a success if others do not have as much to thank you for as you have to be thankful for.

A man may be as homely as a hippopotamus, but some woman will say, "He has beautiful eyes."

MORE THAN MILLION FOR BASE HOSPITAL

Yesterday the following telegram was received at this office from Arthur M. Free, congressman from this district, announcing the big appropriation for the base hospital at Menlo Park:

"Washington, D. C., Dec. 9.—D. E. O'Keefe, Times-Gazette, Redwood City, Cal.—Pleased to announce that $1,400,000 has been approved and allotted for the erection of new hospital at Camp Fremont, California.

"A. M. FREE."

PETERSON WILL FILED

Alma Goyette of San Francisco has filed the last will and testament of her father, late Carl Peterson, who died in San Francisc on November 28 and who at the time of his death was a resident of Menlo Park. The will was executed on February 9, 1921. The estate consists of cash amounting to $7,792, liberty bonds worth $900 and a parcel of property in Daly City. The entire estate is valued at about $8,500. The will bequeathes the estate to Mrs. Greta Peterson, surviving widow, and to Mrs. Alma Goyette, daughter. Franklin Swart and J. H. Machado are the attorneys for the petitioner, who asks letters testamentary.

SHINGLE COMPANY WANTS ITS LANDS RESTORED

The La Honda Shingle Company has brought an action in the superior court against Anton Fayall to recover possession of a tract of land comprising 1000 acres near La Honda. The defendant's lease expired on October 15, 1921, and since that time he has held possession of the property notwithstanding that plaintiff has demanded possession of it several times. Defendant rented the land for many years, paying a thousand dollars a year for it. The company asks for the restoration of the property.

ACCIDENT TO MR. McCREA

The numerous friends of S. P. McCrea, formerly principal of the high school here, will be pained to learn that he met with a serious accident at his home in Madera last Saturday. While he was cutting wood the axe slipped and the blade struck his right foot just below the instep, severing the tendon of one toe and cutting two other toes. He was taken to the sanitarium in Madera for treatment. The injury will confine him to his home for several weeks.

Then there s the man—and he's often a woman—who is so softhearted that he thinks no criminal could be guilty.

A NEW SORT OF POLITICAL PULL

Mrs. Henry Thorsen of San Mateo would like to have her husband land the job of postmaster at that place. She is a noted psycho-palmist and has made a number of predictions that have been realized. After reading the hand of Mrs. Warren G. Harding in 1907 the seeress made the prediction that Mr. Harding would be elected president. Hence she believes Mr. Thorsen should be given the postmastership.

Mrs. Thorsen predicted also that when Harding was nominated for the presidency he would be elected.

Another prediction of a tragic nature was that the return of Mrs. Frederick Kohl from her recent eastern trip would be one fraught with sorrow. It was verified in the suicide of Mr. Kohl, causing the return of Mrs. Kohl to the coast.

Mrs. Thorsen is to be in charge of the fortune telling booth at the Christmas exchange entertainment to be given by the Palo Alto Business Girls' club at the community house today. She has attracted scores of prominent peinsula women who desired to learn something of their future.

AMPHLETT BECOMING ACCOMPLISHED ORATOR

Horace W. Amphlett, editor of the San Mateo Times, is rapidly budding forth as an orator. He delivered the oration at the memorial services of San Francisco Lodge No. 3, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, at the Alcazar Theater last Sunday morning. Those who heard the address of the able young editor say it was eloquent and far above the usual oration at such services. Mr. Amphlett is gifted and has decided talent as an orator. He may be the congressman from this district at some future time.

CRYSTAL WEDDING IS CELEBRATED AT ROSS HOME

Hall C. Ross and his charming wife celebrated their crystal wedding anniversary with a dance given at their attractive home on Ninth avenue, San Mateo, Monday evening last. The house was appropriately decorated with flowers sent by admiring friends during the day. About sixty persons were present to felicitate the young couple and wish them many returns of the day.

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GETTING RESULTS

Once more President Harding has shown his determination to get results by going after them in a direct and forceful manner. When he wanted reduction of armament he laid down a definite plan that specified just what ships should be scrapped and what retained. That was concrete and a definite step toward results. Now he has made a similar move in domestic affairs. He has issued an executive order giving due notice to all officialdom that C. G. Dawes, director of the budget, in gathering information, acts for the president, "and his calls upon the chiefs of bureaus and other administrative officers for the purposes of consultation or information take precedence over the cabinet head of a department, or any head of an independent organization."

This is the method, and the only method, that will get results. In his effort to reduce federal expenditures President Harding has the full approval and co-operation of the members of his cabinet, who are heads of departments. But he has not the full co-operation of heads of bureaus, many of whom are holdovers from the wasteful and extravagant Democratic administration. It is not likely that any head of a bureau will directly and openly defy the director of the budget, but many of them, jealous of their petty power, would evade or delay giving information that would be helpful in the effort to cut expenses. Accustomed to the red tape methods, they can find innumerable excuses for not yielding full and hearty co-operation with the director of the budget. The order of the president, making the official status of the director entirely clear, ought to help not only in speeding up the retrenchment movement but in making the results greater when accomplished.

The president's course is wise from another viewpoint. The particular task of Mr. Dawes is to find ways of discontinuing useless work, eliminating duplication of work and cutting out work which, though useful, is not essential. If he is to find ways of accomplishing these things he must have the power to ask for and secure full and prompt information. Unless he has that power he cannot reasonably be held accountable for results.

Having given Mr. Dawes the full power in getting information, President Harding places upon the director of the budget the full responsibility for devising plans for retrenchment.

That is the way things are done in successful private business and it is well to have the same plane pursued in government business. The Harding idea is more business in government and less government in business. The country holds the president responsible for results in administration of the executive departments, for he is the ultimate authority. The president has made Mr. Dawes head of the budget bureau, has given him plenary power and can hold him responsible accordingly. If the budget plan does not work, it will not be the fault of the president.

A FREE IRELAND

Edward B. Rowan, California secretary of the American Association for the recognition of the Irish Republic, following a request for a a statement on the reported outcome of the Irish-English negotiations, said:

"There is and has been so much propaganda in the news dispatches from London relative to the Irish-English negotiations that it is difficult for an interested American to form any judgment on the reported terms of agreement.

"It is my opinion that all Americans interested in the cause of an independent Ireland should hesitate to voice their opinions until the verdict of the Irish people themselves is officially announced by their duly elected representatives in the Dail Eiraenn.

"Ireland's greatest heritage — complete political independendence, without a string to it—has been maintained in the glorious fight of, Sinn Fein. And that fight will neither be won nor lost until the verdict of the Irish people themselves is reached."

The following statement was issued by Rev. Peter C. Yorke, D. D., one of America's foremost advocates of the Sinn Fein cause, for the press:

"Irish headquarters at Washington informed me this morning that they have nothing to add yet to the published news.

"The cables have been of such a propagandist character and in places so contradictory that I am reserving my judgment until there is an official statement from the Irish government.

The fact that the Irish envoys had signed the terms may simply mean that they did not feel justified in not submitting them to the Irish people. If the English parliament rejects them, of course, there will be a plebscite in the form of a general election.

"If Dail Eireann chooses it may also ask for a popular vote.

"Americans who know English diplomacy will instinctively refrain from 'hollering' just now until they are well clear of the wods."

STATUS OF THE TARIFF BILL

The balance of the year will be devoted by congress to clearing decks for the passage of the Fordney-Penrose tariff bill. That bill will occupy the attention of congress to the exclusion of other legislative matters beginning the fore part of the new year.

A review of legislative action concerning the tariff bill is pertinent at this time. Considerable preliminary action had been taken in 1920 toward its consideration in the house. January 6 of this year formal hearings on the tariff question were initiated, proceeding until February 16. Importers and manufacturers, without partiality were given audience by the ways and means committee, so that in no sense could the measure be said to favor one class more than another.

June 29 the tariff bill was submitted to the house and promptly referred to the ways and means committee. July 6 it was formally reported back to the house and debate began, extending to July 21, when the bill was passed by a vote of 288 to 127. The bill was a frankly protective measure carrying out the campaign promise of the Republican party for a revision of the tariff as soon as conditions shall make it necessary for the preservation of the home market for American labor, agriculture and industry During the previous calendar year no less than $5,300,000,000 worth of imports had entered this country.

Meanwhile, and while the bill was under debate, agriculture was threatened with a terrific amount of competition from abroad and there was an insistent demand that something be done immediately for them. They did not think the situation would wait for the final adoption of the general tariff bill. So on May 27 the emergency tariff bill was passed which granted protection to the farm products.

July 22 the general tariff bill was referred to the finance committee of the senate, which determined, after pressure had been brought to bear, to hold supplementary hearings, which commenced July 25 and which were continued daily until congress secessed late in August because of the absolute exhaustion of many of the members.

During this recess there was an irresistible movement all over the country to induce congress to give priority in legislation to the tax bill and since the agricultural interests had been taken care of by way of the emergency tariff and imports were falling off, congress was the more ready to bow to this opinion. So on September 21 the tax bill moved up to displace the tariff bill and the former was passed November 7. The tariff bill carried something of an innovation in what is known as the "American valuation" clause, which bases ad valorem duties on the domestic selling price, and wishing to secure all the information possible on that subject the senate appointed a committee to undertake and exhaustive investigation of the matter. That investigation has been going on for some time and as it proceeds it strengthens the belief of the majority in the feasibility of the clause. There is no doubt that it will be retained in the final draft of the bill.

A few days ago the emergency tarwas again extended, this time until the general tariff bill becomes a law, and supplemental hearings are being held by the senate to clarify disputed points respecting certai nagricultural products. It is confidently predicted that the Fordney-Penrose tariff bill will become a law not later than the fore part of March, 1922.

TO REGULATE MARRIAGES

There is now pending before the judiciary committee of the United States senate a joint resolution proposing to amend the constitution of the United States to authorize uniform laws on the subject of marriage and divorce and to provide the means for enforcement. The measure, if it passes, will have to be approved by three-fourths of the states.

Senator Shortridge, who is chairman of the subcommittee handling the resolution, the other day expressed himself from the chair as follows:

"Well it may not be a waste of words. To those who favor this amendment I want to suggest further: It might be well that congress in dealing with the subject of divorce would come to believe that there should be more than two causes; that there ought to be some in addition to thos just mentioned—for example, as we have it in California, cruelty.

"Now, there can be a physical cruelty and there can be a mental cruelty. Take the case of a brutal, a drunken husband who physically beats a weak wife—a weak and gentle woman—not once as the result of some great provocation or in a fit of anger, it may be immediately followed by regret and sorrw, but who continually, brutally beats her. Such cases we know occur. Many think that in such a case a wife should be freed from the marriage state; that divorce will make for her happiness, her moral character and the welfare and happiness of the children and the welfare of the state. I merely throw out these ideas, because congress would have to deal with those things; and many of the good, the thoughtful men and women who now favor this amenlment might be greatly distressed in future over the laws which congress—435 representatives and 96 senators — should make or enact. But those are the thoughts which must have occurred to all who have considered this subject."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

No. ——

In the matter of the estate of Stefano Morando, also known as Steve Morando, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Stefan Morando, alias, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of Messrs. Ross & Ross, First National Bank Bldg., Redwood City, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 21st day of November, A. D. 1921.

W. A. BROOKE,
Administrator of the estate of Stefano Morando, alias, deceased.
ROSS & ROSS,
Attorneys for Administrator.
First publication in Times-Gazette, November 26, 1921.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

No. 2903.

In the matter of the estate of William Arthur Swinerton, also called William A. Swinerton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Alfred Bingham Swinerton, the executor of the last will and testament of William Arthur Swinerton, also called William A. Swinerton, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Alfred Bingham Swinerton, at the law office of Messrs. Ross and Ross, First National Bank Building, Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 25th day of November, A. D. 1921.

ARTHUR BINGHAM SWINERTON,
As executor of the last will and testament of William Arthur Swinerton, also called William A. Swinerton, deceased.
HARTLEY F. PEART,
Attorney for executor, 514-518 Humboldt Bank Building, San Francisco, Cal.
First publication in Times-Gazette November 26, 1921.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notiec is hereby given in accordance with Section 1612 of the Political Code that the Trustees of the Redwood City School District will enter into a contract with the lowest responsible bidder to furnish one school bus for the use of the said Redwood City School District. The said bus must have a body equipped to carry twenty-five children of grammar school age and must be a new machine in every respect. The prices submitted for said automobile bus must be left at the office of the Board of Trusttes in the Central School Building, Corner Broadway and Webster Street, Redwood City, California, by December 5, 1921. The said board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

CHASE LITTLEJOHN,
President.
HENRY STEINBERGER,
Secretary.
Board of Trustees of Redwood City School District.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

No. 2894

PROBATE

In the matter of the estate of Martha A. Farley, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Martha A. Farley, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers ,within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the offices of Jas. T. O'Keefe, No. 71 Broadway, Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 4th day of November, A. D. 1921.

DANIEL GARFIELD FARLEY,
Administrator of the estate of Martha A. Farley, deceased.
JAS. T. O'KEEFE,
Attorney for Administrator, No. 71 Broadway, Redwood City, Cal.
First publication in Times-Gazette November 5, 1921.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

No. 2880

In the matter of the estate of James O'Regan, also known as James Regan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of James O'Regan, also known as James Regan, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of the Times-Gazette, No. 61 Broadway, Redwood City, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 31st day of October, A. D. 1921.

DANIEL REGAN,
Administrator of the estate of James O'Regan, also known as James Regan, deceased.
PETER A. BREEN,
Attorney for Administrator, 405-408 Chronicle Building, San Francisco.
First publication in Times-Gazette November 5, 1921.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO.

No. 8563.

Theresa Rezsek, plaintiff, vs. Stephan Rezsek, defendant.

Action Brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo; and the the complaint filed in said County of San Mateo in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

Jas. T. O'Keefe, attorney for plaintig.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Stephen Rezsak, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, and answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this Summons, if served within said county, if served elsewhere within thirty days.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demaded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, this 5th day of October, A. D. 1921.

ELIZABETH M. NASH,
(Seal) Clerk.
By A. M. BULLIVANT,
Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

No. 2863.

In the matter of the estate of Charles W. Carlson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, R. L. Handy, administrator of the estate of Charles W. Carlson, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of D. E. O'Keefe, proprietor of the "Times-Gazette," Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 16th day of November, A. D. 1921. R. L. HANDY,
Administrator of the estate of Charles W. Carlson, deceased.
PROSPER L. WOLF,
Attorney for administrator, 923 First National Bank Building, San Francisco, Calif.
First publication in Times-Gazette November 19, 1921.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

No. 2904.

In the matter of the estate of Patrick J. Heslin, also called Patrick Heslin, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the under signed executor of the last will and testament of Patrick J. Heslin, also called Patrick Heslin, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor at office of Times-Gazette, No. 61 Broadway, Redwood City, San Mateo County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 25th day of November, A. D. 1921. JOHN V. HUGHES,
Executor of the last will and testament of Patrick J. Heslin, also called Patrick Heslin, deceased.
JOSEPH FARRY,
Attorney for executor, 917 Humboldt Bank Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.
First publication in Times-Gazette November 26, 1921.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

PROBATE

No. 2914.

Notice of Time Appointed for Probate of Will

In the matter of the estate of Henry Elmes, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Thursday, the 22d day of December, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Court Room—Probate—of said Court, at the Court House in Redwood City, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Henry Elmes, deceased, and for hearing the application of Sarah Elizabeth Elmes for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon.

ELIZABETH M. NASH,
(Seal) Clerk.
By E. M. FALVEY,
Deputy Clerk.
R. H. McGOWAN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Dated December 1, A. D. 1921.
(Endorsed) Filed December 1, 1921.
ELIZABETH M. NASH,
Clerk.
By E. L. FALVEY,
Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SAN MATEO COUNTY AND THE SAN MATEO COUNTY SAVINGS BANK:

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of San Mateo County and the San Mateo County Savings Bank, will be held at the office of said corpgorations in the First National Bank Building, at corner of Broadway and Main street, in Redwood City, California, on Saturday, the 14th day of January, 1922, at the hour of one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the respective banks for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of all such further business as may properly come before such meeting.

By order of the board of directors of the First National Bank of San Mateo County, and San Mateo County Savings Bank:

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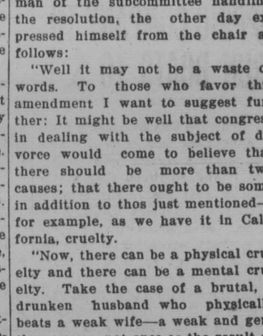

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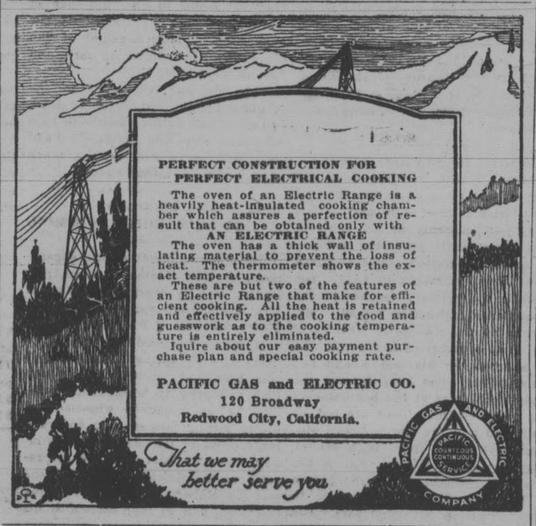
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The board of supervisors met last Monday morning.

A bid of $89 and accrued interest for unsold Burlingame school bonds amounting to $14,000 was presented and accepted.

C. L. J. Frohwitter, representing the California state highway commission, asked co-operation by the county in stopping abuse of and damage to the highways by overloaded and speeding trucks. He plans to test truck loads with a loadmeter and the traffic officers will be needed in the work. There was some discussion as to the reliability of the meter and the authority of Frohwitter to speak for the commission. It was finally decided to notify the commission that the supervisors were willing to assist any authorized officer in enforcing the laws.

Regular monthly reports were presented by the horticultural commissioner, squirrel exterminator and veterinarian.

Lee T. Ross presented an abstract of the proceedings in the San Mateo Union High School bond election, together with a resolution ordering the sale of the bonds. Franklin Swart brought in the San Mateo grammar school bond election proceedings and a resolution ordering bonds sold. The two resolutions were adopted.

San Mateo Post, American Legion, sent in a letter of thanks for the cooperation of the county officials in observance of Armistice Day.

Asa Hull of San Carlos, L. A. Barrett of Belmont and W. J. Murray of Menlo Park were appointed to succeed themselves as members of the board of trustees of the Pulgas mosquito abatement district.

Claims were allowed as follows:

W. F. Connelly, storm water conduit, San Bruno road, $2,537.30.

A. Mattson, retaining wall on La Honda road, $59812; retaining wall near Princeton, $226.25; slope protecion, Halfmoon Bay road, $420; retaining wall, La Honda road, $206.

It was decided to allow Miss Pauline Brown $10 as custodian of the branch county library at Menlo Park.

At the suggestion of Mrs. Brown the hospital committee will take up the planting of a hedge around the new hospital, probably employing a landscape gardener to plan the work.

DORSEY WILL FILED

On Wednesday the Mercantile Trust Company of San Francisco filed the last will and testament of Gilbert Maxwell Dorsey, who died at San Carlos on November 8, 1921. The will was executed November 7, 1921, the subscribing witnesses being Dr. J. G. Null and Effie Wade Mahaney. The petition for letters testamentary does not state the value of the estate except that it is in excess of $10,000.

The devisees and legatees are F.O. Dorsey, residing in Pittsburg, Pa., a brother; Rebecca Lee Dorsey, a sister residing in Los Angeles; Elizabeth A. Hindman, San Carlos; Elliott Holland, Oakland; F. S. Holland, San Francisco; Charles Holland, Oakland; Dorothy Holland, Pittsburg, Pa.; Lidie Stewart, Maryland. The Mercantile Trust Company has been named as executor and has applied for letters testamentary. The attorneys for the petitioner are Morrison, Dunne & Brobeck of San Francisco.

ESTATES IN COURT

C. E. Smith has applied in the superior court for letters of administration upon the estate of Eunice R. Smith, who died on November 26, 1921. The estate consists of property at San Bruno and stocks valued at $3,000.

Bertha B. Tolley has applied for letters of administration upon the estate of Walter E. Tolley, who died May 24, 1921. The estate is valued at $1,500 and is located at San Mateo.

Elizabeth Squier has applied for letters of administration upon the estate of Eugene Squier, who died on August 5, 1921, at Daly City. The estate consists of realty at Daly City and San Francisco valued at $2,500. Franklin Swart and J. H. Machado are the attorneys for the three estates.

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Real Estate Transfers

M. F. Duff and wife to George W. Phelps and wife, lot 147, adjoining half lot 146, town of Menlo.

Henry Paddock to Nelson V. Paddock, interest in estate of Anna Paddock in lot 9, block 61, eastern addition to Redwood City.

Stuart F. Smith and wife to Sullivan & Sullivan and Theodore J. Roche, lots 20 to 27, block 2, Partridge subdivision, Menlo.

Sullivan & Sullivan and Theodore J. Roche to W. S. Bower, lots 20 to 24, block 2, Partridge subdivision, Menlo.

Moss Beach Realty Co. to Granite Rock Water Co., lots 6 to 9, block 20, Moss Beach Heights.

Herbert C. Wilder to Hattie M. Wilder, south half lots 1 and 2 and south half of west 30 feet of lot 3, block 13, range B, Redwood.

Laura T. Cunningham to Burlingame Masonic Hall Association, lot 5, block 1, supplemental map of Burlingame.

Estate of Arthur B. Steinau to Hattie Steinau, lots 41 and 42, block 3, North Fair Oaks.

James Reynard and wife to Anna T. Richards, south half lot 178, north half lot 179, Menlo.

Shore Line Investment Co. to Henrietta Chenoweth, lot 14, block 24, Granada.

Samuel Lachenmaier and wife to Howard Amo, lot 5, east half lot 4, block 34, Moss Beach Heights.

Howard Amo and wife to Chris Alexander, same lots.

Frieda Littlepage and husband to J. C. Littlepage, lots 10, 15, 16, block 11; lot 18, block 10; lots 8, 9, block 9, Marine View Terrace.

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Will E. Fairbanks, aged 37, and Maude E. Hall, aged 35, both of San Jose.

Ray M. Stanton, aged 32, San Francisco, and Mildred E. MacBain, aged 24, Hornbrook, Siskiyou county.

Howard F. Kennard, aged 23, and Gladys Aramal, aged 18, both of Oakland.

Joe Baptiste, aged 25, and Rose Fayal, aged 22, both of La Honda.

P. Romani, aged 33, and Angela Arrighi, aged 23, both of South San Francisco.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY BY THE TOWN OF REDWOOD CITY.

Public notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Town of Redwood City deeming it for the benefit of said Town hereby invites and will receive sealed proposals or bids up to and including the hour of 7:30 o'clock P. M. of Monday, the 19th day of December, 1921, for the sale of the following described real property situated in said Town of Redwood City, to-wit:

Portion of Lot 56, as designated on the map entitled "Town of Mezesville" which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, August 1, 1856, in Volume 1 of Maps at page 79 described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Main street in the Town of Redwood City, distant 6 feet 3 inches Northerly from the intersection of the Southerly line of Lot 56 with said Westerly line of Main street; as said Lot and lines are shown on the map hereinbefore referred to, made by W. O'Dwyer in January, 1854; thence Northerly along said Westerly line of Main street 31 feet 3 inches; thence at right angles Westerly to Redwood Creek or Slough; thence up and along on said Creek or Slough in a Southerly direction to a point thereon, where a line drawn through the point of beginning and at right angles to said Westerly line of Main street intersects the same; thence easterly to the point of beginning, together with the improvements thereon.

Each bid shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and marked "Bid for Old Fire House Property on Main Street."

Each bid or proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check made payable to the Town of Redwood City and certified by a responsible bank in a sum which shall be at least ten per cent of the amount of the proposal or bid.

Checks of unsuccessful bidders to be returned upon rejection of their bids. Checks of successful bidder to be retained and applied upon the purchase price of said property.

Terms of sale, cash in lawful money of the United States, ten per cent upon acceptance of bid and balance within ten days from date of acceptance of bid and upon tender of deed by said Town of Redwood City. In case the successful bidder fails to accept the deed and pay the balance of the purchase price within said ten days their certified check in the sum of ten per cent of the amount of their proposal or bid shall be forfeited to said Town of Redwood City and said Town shall be released from all obligations in law or equity to convey said real property to said party.

The successful bidder may have ten days from the date of acceptance of bid within which to investigate the title to said real property. Deed and abstract, certificate of title or title insurance at the expense of the purchaser.

The Board of Trustees of the Town of Redwood City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Redwood City.

Dated: Redwood City, California, November 21, 1921.

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MENLO PARK NEWS

James L. Flood and Joseph Donohoe of Menlo Park have taken boxes at San Carlos for the international sweepstakes on December 11 and will entertain parties of friends, among whom will be several San Mateo residents.

A sale of fancy needlework, underwear and home made cakes, pies and jellies and a rummage sale will take place at the parish hall of the Episcopal church next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The rummage sale will be the feature. The sale will continue all the afternoon. Those wishing to secure Christmas articles should attend this event.

Palo Alto Parlor, Native Sons of the Godlen West, has purchased the Downing building there for a large sum. The upper story is to be transformed into one of the finest lodge halls in the state. It is the intention of the natives that when necessity requires they will add two more stories to the building. A stock company has been formed and nearly all the parlors of the bay counties have agreed to purchase stock. The Native Daughters Parlor and the Native Sons Parlor here have signified their intention to buy large blocks of this stock, which will pay good divdends.

Edward Lawlor the painter, is confined to his home with a severe attack of lead poisoning.

Lieut D. P. Harkins is here from Fort Russell, Wyo., on a furlough of two months to visit his mother. The lieutenant entered the army during the world war and saw service overseas. His father, the late Major Harkins, was a civil war veteran and remained in the service until his retirement a number of years ago. The lieutenant is a graduate of Santa Clara University and a mathematician of ability.

J. Dutscher of San Francisco has purchased 17 acres of land from J. H. Sullivan. The property is a part of the old Cooley holding located near the Cooley landing. It is at this point that the much talked of Dumbarton bridge is to cross the bay. Many investors are buying property in this locality on the strength of the construction of the proposed bridge. It will be built, if not by the county, by private capital. There is no question but that there will be a Dumbarton bridge within two years. No opposition, no matter how powerful, can prevent its construction

The rainfall so far this season has been 1.54 inches. The rainfall at this time last year was 5.54 inches. The normal amount at this time of the year is 6 inches.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seal, former residents of Menlo Park, were here this week. They now reside at Gonzales, where Mr. Seal is engaged in business.

The Native Daughters will hold a card party in Native Sons' Hall on Monday evening, December 19. Mince pies will be raffled off at this gathering.

The Camp Garage on the highway has been reopened under new management. Arthur Wilkinson, an ex-service man, has taken over the business and will give the public a splendid service. He is an expert mechanic, steady and a good business man and is certain to make a success of the undertaking.

Joseph Walsh, a San Francisco exporter of dried fruit, has purchased five acres of land near Santa Cruz avenue. He contemplates erecting a fine residence on the property in the spring

Dr. Victory Derrick, grand president of the Native Daughters, accompanied by the past president, Bertha Briggs, paid an official visit to Menlo Parlor, N. D. G. W., Monday evening. Members from all the bay parlors were present. The grand president delivered an able address in which she congratulated the local parlor on its progress and work in securing members. After the routine business delightful refreshments were served in the hall. The meeting was one of the largest and most enthusiastic ever held in the hall.

The following notice is taken from the November issue of the Stanford Illustrated Review, which was received yesterday:

"'11—James Leo Duff and Mary Elizabeth Lannan were married on November 1st in Sierar Madre, Los Angeles county. Duff was editor of the Stanford Sequoia during his college course. His war service was with the 11th Field Artillery, as first lieutenant, overseas. He is now with Leon Israel & Bros., Inc., importers and exporters, in San Francisco The Duffs are now at home at 1791 Pine street, San Francisco."

Lambert & Walter, the Redwood City realty brokers, report the sale of the C. A. Cuppett residence and lots in Fair Oaks Acres, Atherton, to R. B. Clark of Alturas, Cal., where he has large cattle interests.

A strong rumor was current in Menlo yesterday that two very large residences had been sold in Atherton this week by the hustling realtors of Redwood City and Burlingame, Lambert & Walter. When seen yesterday neither Charles Lambert nor Dave Walter would verify this at present, but intimated that they had deposits on two places aggregating some $150,000, the details of which they would be pleased to give the readers of the Times-Gazette next week. It was learned, however, that the Moses Heller estate is one of the places sold and that the sum of $80,000 was paid for the property. The buyer is a well known and wealthy business man of San Francisco. Mr. Heller and wife plan traveling in Europe for several years and this is the reason the choice home was sold. They will be accompanied by the Orpheum man, Morris Meyerfield and his wife. The home is one of the most attractive on the peninsula. It was formerly the residence of the late A. P. Redding, brother of Joseph Redding, the noted lawyer. It consists of nearly nine acres laid out in beautiful gardens and lawns. Since buying it several years ago the property has been greatly developed by Mr. Heller.

Alex J Rind, who attempted to rob the premises of Timothy Hopkins last week, plead guilty to a charge of burglary in the superior court at Redwood City yesterday. Rind says he is an ex-soldier. He was pretending to be asleep in a bathtub when arrested by Constable Walsh. Rind got into the house by breaking the glass in an outer door and springing the lock on an inner door. It was necessary for the officers to break down three doors in the house before they could reach the bathroom where Rind was reposing.

WOODSIDE

Red berries are very plentiful in this section and every day city folks are gathering them. Old timers say that the crop this season is the largest in 20 years. The heavy rains of last year is the cause of the bumper crop.

William Byrne returned during the week from Willows with 40 head of horses and equipment. He harvested 1,100 acres of rice crop in that section. The crop was gathered and threshed before the rains came and in this the farmer was fortunate, as last year the early downpour prevented the harvesting of the vast crop. Mr. Byrne's equipment was the finest in the rice section. He was cmplimented by all the farmers for his splendid horses. When he left Willows the wild geese were so plentiful that when they arose from the ground to fly they obscured the sun for several seconds. Ducks were not so plentiful.

MEMORIAL SERVICE BY S. M. ELKS TOMORROW

The Elks' lodge of San Mateo will hold its annual memorial service tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the high school. The public is invited to this interesting service J. O'Donnell of San Francisoc will deliver the address. The music for the occasion will be furnished by the Peninsula Musical Society under the leadership of Festyn Davies, the noted Welsh tenor.

The lodge has a total membership of over 500 and about 50 of this number reside in Redwood City. All the local members and their friends will attend the service.

APPRAISER APPOINTED FOR HESLIN ESTATE

Judge Buck has appointed H. C. Tuchsen appraiser of the estate of Father Patrick J. Heslin, deceased. The estate is valued at about $5,000.

Emmet Corwin came home from the Davis Farm School to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ida Corwin, on Jefferson street.

GRAND JURY WILL CHASE BOOTLEGGERS TO COVER

The grand jury was drawn in the superior court on Thursday by Judge Buck. The jury is composed of 14 women and 5 men. Last year the jury had one more man than this year.

After calling the jury Judge Buck appointed J. L. Kent, a garage man at Montara, to act as foreman. The instructions read to the jury were without sensation of any kind. It was the court's wish that an expert from the county be employed to audit the books and accounts of the various officials.

After organization the grand jury selected Mrs. Josie H. Reardon of Burlingame as secretary and Mrs. Mary Winter of Redwood City as assistant secretary.

During the coming week visits will be made to the county jail and the county hospital by the inquisitorial body.

The women of the grand jury are going to wage a hard fight against the bootleggers of the county.

The personnel of the new grand jury is as follows:

Mrs. Lela Campbell, Daly City.
Mrs. Jennie Ross, Daly City.
Miss Eginia Belli, Colma.
Miss Eleanor Holston, South San Francisco.
Mrs. Josie H. Reardon, Burlingame.
Mrs. Lena Geft, San Mateo.
Mrs. Mabel Selenger, San Mateo.
Mrs. Katheryn T. Killelea, San aMteo.
Thomas E. Dunning, San Mateo.
Mrs. E. H. Pipkin, Redwood City.
J. J. Reynolds, Redwood City.
Mrs Olga Chilcott, Redwood City.
Mrs. Mary E. Winter, Redwood.
W. J. Murray, Menlo Park.
Mrs. Margaret C. Mowwe, Woodside.
J. L. Kent, Montara.
Mrs. Adalgisa Boitano, Halfmoon Bay.
Mrs. Ellen R. Benn, San Gregorio.

A BURLINGAME SALE

Lambert & Walter, the local realty brokers, have sold through their Burlingame office, Kenneth E. Paul, manager, in Burlingame Park a new residence under construction for the account of William R. Thompson to Charles F. Ryan, secretary of the San Francisco Commercial Club, who expects to move into his new home on the 20th of this month. They have also sold a number of lots and several smaller places the past week. In fact, they report the realty market, as far as they are concerned, as being very good.

T. C. Johnston, the coast side politician and capitalist, greeted friends in Redwood City on Tuesday.

Local News Items

Claude Fox, the author of "Duck Hunting Reminiscences" heretofore appearing in this paper, will in our next issue commence a series of the very interesting stories which are founded on his personal experience. Many of the old timers, W. J. Plump, known to the boys of yesterday as "Bill Jones," Win MacDonald, famous basso, John Fehrn, Sr., and J. A. Genochio will be given notice, besides others, whom the author of these articles has concealed beneath memory's bonnet.

Special Bible study at 10 day Sunday at the Baptist church. At 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p m. the general topic will be "A Mighty Gospel."

Mrs. Mildred Stoddaru nee Thrush visited friends here on Monday for a short time while on her way to Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard spent the past few months in Portland. Mr. Stoddard is an advertising man who travels to all sections of the country taking pictures for magazines and periodicals. Mrs. Stoddard's mother, Mrs. James Ralston, now resides in Los Angeles

The Redwood City Woman's Club will give an informal dance at the clubhouse on Friday, December 9. Good music is assured. Admission 50 cents. The public is cordially invited. The proceeds will be used for social service kiddies' Christmas tree.

A. W. Grimmenstein, electrical contractor and dealer, has completed the electrical installations at the Peninsula Bakery. The installation is one of the finest store illumination jobs in this vicinity and is a wonderful asset to the building.

Miss Marjorie Young, a copyist in the office of County Recorder T. C. Rice for some months, has been appointed chief stenographer in the office of District Attorney Franklin Swart. She takes the place of Miss Hemstead, who resigned recently. Miss Young is a sister of Miss Edna Young, a deputy in the recorder's office. Both young ladies reside at San Mateo, as does Miss Hemstead

Saturday morning last a fire was started in the barn of George Alvis on Blaine street and before the blaze was put out nearly 100 tons of hay were destroyed. The building was almost totally destroyed. The total loss is estimated at $2,000. This is partially covered by insurance. The origin of the blaze is not known. A lack of water pressure prevented the firemen from saving the building.

Oak Shadow Farm, Redwood City, carried off honors at the California State Poultry Association show in the Oakland auditorium last week. Four medals, two first prizes and two second prizes were awarded the owners of the farm for the best display of Rhode Island Reds and Orpingtons and the Buff Orpingtons in the show.

Watch your step, ladies. The Red Men of Redwood City are out on the war path again and are going to organize a Pocahontas lodge for the girls. If you are interested and wish to join the new organization you may secure information at the Redwood City Tamale Parlors, 257 Main

Assessor D. P. Flynn attended the funeral of I .H. Clay at Oakland on Wednesday. Mr. Clay at the time of his death was the assessor of Alameda county and president of the State Association of Assessors. He died suddenly of apoplexy. The chief deputy in the office, Louis Kennedy, was appointd by the supervisors of Alameda county on Thursday to fill the vacancy.

Robert Chatham, former sheriff of San Mateo county, was a visitor to Redwood City last Saturday. Mr. Chatham is a resident of Willits, Mendocino county, and the owner of a large cattle ranch near that city. Mr. Chatham has many friends in the county who are always glad to greet him.

Mr. Porter of Heller street, with his two bright nieces, returned on Thursday from San Francisco, where they have been visiting with friends for the past we k

Stanley Smith, a deputy in the office of County Suveyor George A. Kneese, is quite ill with stomach trouble and is in the Marine Hospital in San Francisco. He is an overseas man and was gassed while in an engagement. His present illness is the result of this vicious poison. Mr. Smith was a captain in theengineering corps of the army and he assisted in building many roads in the war zone. He is a likable man who has made numerous friends while in Redwood City. He resides with his family in San Francisco.

The county horticultural commissioner, A. W. Tate, has received a consignment of 100 waste jute balls from San Quentin. These balls are to be saturated with carbon bisulphide, ignited and placed in the burrows and runways of the pesky squirrel. The runways will be closed and Mr. Squirrel will be sent forth to his happy hunting grounds in the animal heaven above.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAYS

On the evening of December 17 at Masonic Hall the girls of Sigma Delta Kappa, the high school dramatic club, will present a program of one-act plays. This will be a variation from the usual long play and will also give more girls a chance to display their ability. In addition to the plays, "Dolls" and "Food" there will be several individual numbers by some of the talented members of the club.

The club is now in its third year and has some very fine things to its credit. The girls have presented one long play, "Miss Somebody Else," four short plays, two original programs at the Woman's Club, and a program at the California Sanitarium at Belmont. They were also responsible for the football banquet last year and this year, different stunts at school parties and have contributed to the support of the annual. Now the Sigma Delta Kappa girls are working hard to make the program on December 17 a success. Tickets will go on sale Monday, December 5, admisison 50 cents.

Court Orders

Estate of Nancy Iren Duncan, deceased. Account allowed and settled and petition for distribution granted.

Estate of Robert Hatton, deceased. Petition to assign estate to widow continued to December 1.

Estate of John M. Smith, deceased. Petition for letters of administration continued to December 1.

Estate of W. A. Swinerton, deceased. Will admitted to probate and Albert Swinerton appointed executor.

Estate of Patrick Heslin, deceased. Will admitted to probate and Dr. J. V. Hughes granted letters testamentary.

Estate of Carrie R. Engel, deceased. Order to show cause continued to December 15.

Estate of Josephine A. Phelps, deceased. Account of trustees allowed and settled. Attorney fees allowed $500; W. F. Chipman, trustee, $500.

Estate and guardianship of Ida Flint, incompetent. Account of the guardian continued to December 15.

Estate of Robert Hatton, deceased. Petition to assign estate to widow granted.

Estate of John M. Emith, deceased. Stanley Smith granted letters testamentary, bond $100.

Estate and guardianship of William Cluff et al., minors Eleventh annual account continued to December 8.

Estate and guardianhsip of Earl F. Kiel, et al., minors. Account of the guardian continued to December 15.

Estate of William Chappell, deceased. Contest continued to December 15.

Estate of Robert Brunn, deceased. Account allowed and settled and petition for distribution granted.

Estate of Edward Mullin,deceased. Petition for letters continued to December 15.

Estate of Anna Gerwin, deceased. George H. Gerwin granted letters of administration, bond $300.

Estate of William Smith, deceased. W A. Brooke granted letters of administration.

Estate of Anton Carlson, deceased. P. L. Husted granted letters of administration, bond $100.

Estate of T. M. Alton, deceased. Will admitted to probate.

M. W. Lavender vs. A. W. Ross. Motion to set cause continued to December 8.

Bowie Estate Co. vs. W. E. McKinnon et al. Motion to strike out plaintiff's answer continued to December 8.

Pasquale Gargiulo vs. Dina Gargiulo. Interlocutory decree of divorce granted plaintiff.

Anna Z. Nolan vs. James E. Nolan. Montion for change of venue continued to December 15.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

No. 2867.

In the matter of the estate of Charlotte Matilda Hause, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of Charlotte Matilda Hause, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix with the will annexed at the law office of Joseph J. Bullock, Stafford Bldg., Redwood City, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 2d day of December, A. D. 1921. CHARLOTTE A. WEEKS, Administratrix with the will annexed. JOSEPH J. BULLOCK, Attorney for Administratrix with the will annexed.

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